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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of )  
Edwin C. Kan et al. ) Group Art Unit No. 2827  
Application No. : 10/718,662 ) Examiner: David Lam  
Filed : November 24, 2003 )  
For : Multibit Metal )  
Nanocrystal Memories )  
and Fabrication )

**RESPONSE TO ELECTION REQUIREMENT**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

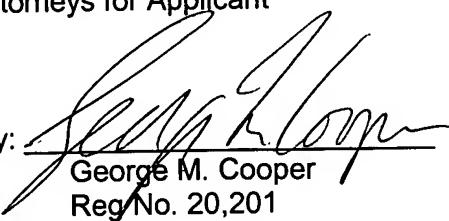
Responsive to the restriction requirement dated April 5, 2005, applicant hereby elects the claims of Group I, drawn to a multi-bit storage cell.

This election is made without traverse.

Respectfully submitted,

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